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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This communication is in response to the Examiner's non-final Office Action dated March 25, 2005, in which claims 1-6 were rejected. Applicants respectfully request entry of this communication and reconsideration of the now claimed invention.